



PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

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C-Howards Bay Strategic Navigation Dredging, Superior, WI

Description

Howard's Bay is located in the St. Louis River Area of Concern near Duluth-Superior Harbor. The Corps would remove sediment from within the Federal Navigation Channel in the Howards Bay portion of the Duluth-Superior Harbor for the purpose of Ecosystem Restoration. Removal of the Navigation Channel material will allow the removal of contaminated material below the Navigation Channel, and in slips beside the Navigation Channel.

Congressional Interest

Duffy (WI-7); Senator Johnson (WI), Senator Baldwin (WI)

Location Map & Picture



Non-Federal Project Sponsor

The project is being conducted in partnership with Wisconsin DNR and Fraser Shipyard.

Project Authority

Operations and Maintenance of Federal Navigation Channel

Funding	Total	Federal	Non-Federal
Current Working Estimate:	\$ 1,100,000	\$ 1,100,000	\$ 0
Funds Allocated prior to FY17:	\$ 368,700	\$ 368,700	\$ 0
E and W Funds Allocated prior to FY17:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
GLRI Funds Allocated prior to FY17:	\$ 368,700	\$ 368,700	\$ 0
FY17 Energy and Water Allocation:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
FY17 GLRI Allocation:	\$ 49,000	\$ 49,000	\$ 0
FY18 Budget:	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Funds required to complete (>FY18):	\$ 642,300	\$ 642,300	\$ 0

Stage

Feasibility

Status

In FY14 the partners evaluated the testing data and calculated quantities for dredging. In FY15 the team continued to develop alternatives for dredging and dredged material disposal. The project is proceeding in coordination with a Great Lakes Legacy Act project that would remove contaminated sediments from below and beside the navigation channel. The two projects would be conducted back-to-back to reduce costs. FY17 and FY18 funding would be used to complete the design of the project and initiate construction.

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